

**PSIA**



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**ROCKY MOUNTAIN DIVISION**

Professional Ski Instructors of America  
American Association of Snowboard Instructors

## **How Adaptive Tools Impact Snowboarding Fundamentals**

Audience: Current PSIA-AASI-Rocky Mountain Members focusing on the snowboard discipline; Prospective Adaptive Snowboard Level 1 and 2 candidates

Discipline: Snowboard

Time: Full day

Credits: 6 CEU's

Setting: On-snow

Prerequisites: Minimum Level 6 snowboarding skills

### **Course description:**

Understand the Snowboarding Fundamentals and how using adaptive snowboarding tools and techniques can impact the fundamentals and support a positive learning partnership and student assessment. The following are charts and descriptions to help illustrate how the fundamental relationships change in different scenarios and situations.

### **Course outcomes:**

Upon successful completion of this clinic, you will be able to:

- Cite the Fundamental Mechanics of Snowboarding.
- Describe the use of adaptive tools to highlight Fundamental Mechanics skill acquisition.
- Apply adaptive tool use for personal improvement outside of the traditional adaptive learning environment.

### **This course is beneficial if you:**

- Teach snowboarding to guests who are able-bodied or who have a medical diagnosis.
- Are preparing for adaptive certification.

### **Materials needed:**

- Snowboard equipment

- Helmet encouraged and required at Vail Resorts properties